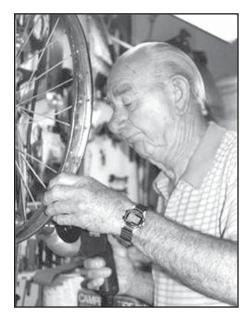
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In Memoriam

William "Bicycle Bill" Sauter

William "Bicycle Bill" Sauter, a 13-year veteran volunteer with CYS-Project Together, passed away Saturday, May 17, 2002, at the age of 82. He recently experienced a fall in his home, breaking two vertebrae in his neck and was recovering in a rehabilitation facility.

It was but a week before the fall that he had made his usual call to CYS-Project Together to say he had more bikes to be picked up and noted he had some really good ones too. "Bicycle Bill" refurbished used and discarded bicycles to give to Children and Youth Services (CYS) clients, so they would have transportation to school, therapy appointments and work. Over the years, "Bicycle Bill" made transportation a reality and an important childhood experience possible for almost 500 CYS kids. In fact, CYS-Project Together staff designed a bicycle safety program around Bill's efforts that

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Volunteers Are Special

Heather Provides Calm Stability

Heather Physioc, a mentor for CYS-Project Together in East Region for over a year, is about to leave for a volunteer teaching mission in Taiwan. However, she has left a lasting impression on a 10-year-old boy, who needs the stability, acceptance and enrichment activities a mentor can provide.

Heather is matched with a 10-year-old boy with Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder, which severely impairs his social and academic conduct. The therapist requested a mentor who would be supportive, patient and who had "lots of energy" for this challenging child. Heather is just what the therapist ordered and much more. She has met the challenges presented by this high energy child with calmness and an optimistic approach.

She has been supportive and consistent, providing the youngster with fun activities and positive reinforcement. He looks forward to his time with Heather, who keeps him busy with trips to the beach, parks, Discovery Science Center, Family Fun Festival and numerous CYS-Project Together outings.

The boy's therapist has been very pleased that Heather has contacted her consistently, providing a helpful adjunct to treatment. She is also pleased with Heather's whole-hearted devotion to the child, which has helped him tremendously. The boy is more settled, has improved attention span and is getting better at following direction. She has been diligent about follow-up calls to the Volunteer Coordinator and has tapped into CYS-Project Together resources and special outings.

Heather has just completed her student teaching and has received her B.A.



degree in early childhood education and psychology from Concordia University, as well as a Lutheran teaching certificate. She is on her way to Europe for a month before starting a year-long volunteer mission in Taiwan, where she will teach English at the Concordia English Academy.

She describes her time as a mentor with CYS-Project Together as a "Great experience! I loved the one-onone connection which allowed me to build a relationship with the child and have the opportunity to see all of the little steps he took. He is a great kid. I will keep in touch with him by sending

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Mentoring Matters

WELCOME NEW MENTORS

Heather Dion **East**

> Delmer Gadamez Melody St. John

Diem Chau "Amy" South

Huynh

Costa Mesa Victor Pulido

South/ Lesley Brown Azrina Spigner Laguna

North Natasha Rodriguez West Tanya Nguyen

Aspen/ Beth Morris

Santa Ana

Aspen/Tustin Polly Nirivath

THANKS TO THOSE WHO HAVE MOVED ON

East **Yvette Battres**

South/ Gretchen Haugen Costa Mesa Amber Schubert

South/ Kathleen Egan Laguna Ralph Weins

Volunteers Are Special

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him post cards while I am away. I would definitely be a mentor again," says Heather.

We will miss her terribly and hope her travels offer all that she hopes and will deliver her back safely. This is an enormous thank you to Heather for making this young man feel special and important.—Veronica Chavez, Volunteer Coordinator, East Region

There's More Than One Way to Hug a Child...

The staff and clients of Children & Youth Services (CYS) and CYS-Project Together deeply appreciate the wonderful support provided by many local businesses and organizations. Your generosity allows community resources to become an important asset in the therapeutic process for the children we serve. Each month, we extend our thanks and give recognition to our caring donors.

Anaheim Family Fun Center

Anaheim

Armstrong Garden Center, Corporate

Glendora

Carl Karcher Enterprises, Inc.

Anaheim

Circus Vargus/Market Place of Anaheim

Anaheim

Denny's, Corporate Spartanburg, S.C.

Cedar Fair LP Buena Park

Pat Huber Capistrano Beach

Cheryl Pitts Santa Ana

Ralphs Grocery Walnut

Ruby's Diner Newport Beach

Bill Sauter Balboa Island

Statek Corp. Orange

Taco Bell, Corporate

Make It Simple Goes Regional

Make It Simple Workshops will be held in each region in June in order to make it more convenient for mentors to attend ongoing training provided by CYS-Project Together.

Veronica Chavez, East Region Volunteer Coordinator, will present the programs during which she will share activities that mentors may do with children and teenagers that are inexpensive, fun, engaging and non-threatening. Mentors are invited to share the activities, games, crafts and outings that have been successful for them.

Make your reservation now for one of these programs by calling (714) 796-0100.

Thursday, June 6

7-8:30 p.m. North Region 377 E. Chapman Ave, #110 Placentia

Tuesday, June 11

7-8:30 p.m. South Region/Laguna 21632 Wesley Dr. Laguna Beach

Thursday, June 13

7-8:30 p.m. South Region/Costa Mesa 3115 Redhill Ave. Costa Mesa

Tuesday, June 20

7-8:30 p.m. East Region/Aspen 1633 E. 4th St., Suite 120 Santa Ana

Thursday, June 27

7-8:30 p.m. West Region 14140 Beach Blvd., Suite 155 Westminster

Open Stuff & Grab Bags For Self-Discovery

Stuff and Grab Bags provide children and teenagers with an adventure in self-discovery kit as well as a place to stash special stuff. They are easy to make, useful for many purposes and fun to fill.

Choosing the materials and the pattern that suits your personality and uses, as well as the physical process of making the bag, is an exercise in learning about yourself. Choosing the items to go in the bag helps you walk through problem-solving steps and provides an excellent workout for the creative imagination.

Choose a Pattern

Choose a pattern or style that best suits your lifestyle, habits and activities. The pattern also dictates the content as well as the ease of access and use. For instance, would a tiny lunch sack-style bag be easier for you to carry than one with a drawstring? Or perhaps a bag attached to a 3-hole notebook insert would be less conspicuous and more convenient. Express your personality by choosing the right fabric for you.

Below are some easy-to-make bags.

Draw String Stuff & Grab Bag

Scrap of 12" X 12" heavy weight fabric—denim or upholstery material are ideal

36" of cord with slick finish in complimentary or matching color

Waxed dental floss

Sewing needle with large eye

Or substitute Crazy Glue for floss and needle

Scissors

Ruler

Safety pin

- 1. Fold fabric in half lengthwise, so if there is a design, it will go in the right direction.
- 2. Mark the outline of the bag on the fabric by measuring the piece across, 6" from the fold and 12" top to bottom.
 - 3. Cut out.



- 4. Make the sleeve for the cord by fashioning a hem at the top of the bag. Fold over ¾" of fabric toward the inside of the bag. Stitch down with floss, using small stitches or secure hem with thin bead of Crazy Glue. Leave ends of sleeve open.
- 5. With right sides together, leave the top with the cord sleeve open and stitch or glue seam on side and bottom of the bag.
- 6. Attach safety pin to one end of the cord and work cord through the sleeve from one end to the other, using the safety pin as a guide. Tie ends of cord together.

3-Ring Stuff Bag

1 plastic pencil pouch with zip closure used for 3-ring notebooks

Pieces of upholstery fabric

School glue

Scissors

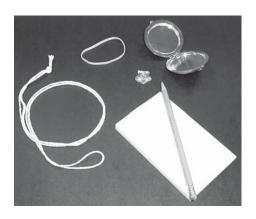
Ruler

Chalk

Chaik

Paint brush

- 1. Trace outline of 3-ring pencil pouch onto fabric using chalk.
- 2. Cutting ¼" outside line, cut 2 pieces of fabric so they are a little bit larger than the plastic pouch. Trim top piece of fabric so it will fit below the zipper on the front of the pouch, allowing the zipper to move freely after fabric is attached.
- 3. Fray ¼" edges by pulling threads to make a fringe.



- 4. Paint glue on to the wrong side of larger piece of fabric and affix to the back of the pencil pouch, making sure it is centered. Allow to dry. You may hasten the process by using a hair dryer.
- 5. Paint glue onto back of smaller piece of fabric and affix to the front of the case, centering it under the zipper.

Stuff for the Bag

Anything goes here, but some suggestions include:

Sand timer

Sponge ball

Clay or construction dough

Message cards you make yourself

"Turn it over"

"Chill"

"Take a break"

Small paper sack to blow up

Balloons

Small mirror

String

Pen or pencil

Small pieces of paper to write down your problem to stick in the bag.

Happy Birthday

Debbie Campa	6/2
Wendy Flanigan	6/2
Michael Sweenie	6/4
Martin (Marty) Glassman	6/5
Karola Creel	6/10
Arthur Montes	6/23
Malissa McCrea	6/27

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JUNE 2002 Calendar of Events

The CYS-Project Together Calendar is a collection of affordable, fun, wholesome and interesting events that can be enjoyed by children, teens and adults. To submit an item for the calendar, please call (714)796-0100.

Saturday, June 8 Hands, Sand and Wood

Free Mentor Outing
Mile Square Park, Site #1
16801 Euclid Ave.
Fountain Valley
(714)796-0100

Stanley Hall, woodworker, and his wife, Dorothy, will teach participants how to fashion objects in wood. CYS-Project Together Volunteer Coordinators Veronica Chavez and Diane Prescott will coordinate sand art activity. A picnic lunch will be provided. Advance reservations are a must.

Time: 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Cost: Free

Saturday, June 1 Huntington Beach Funroll

Huntington Beach Pier Amphitheater Pacific Coast Highway at Main St. Huntington Beach

This is a group skate, but bikes are also welcome. This event is for all ages with a nice and easy pace for 16 miles. There are stops along the way. Wear protective gear, including wrist guards and helmet. Participants may join for a group lunch in Huntington Beach after the roll.

Time: 10:15 a.m. Cost: Free

Saturday, June 1 Artists Village Open House

Historic Downtown Santa Ana Begins at Broadway & 2nd Streets Santa Ana

Visit studios and galleries in seven different buildings in the arts community that spans several city blocks. Points of interest include the Santora Building, Empire Gallery, CSUF Grand Central Art Center, Orange County Center for Contemporary Art, Spurgeon Building, The

Arc and East Village workshops. Hundreds of artists work in all forms of media from traditional to experimental. Experience live theater at the Rude Guerrilla, Hunger Artists, CSUF Theater Department at the Grand Central Theater, Tibbies All American Cabaret and OC Crazies. Downtown restaurants are also participating. This village open house takes place the first Saturday evening of every month and is an opportunity for children, teenagers and adults to learn more about art and participate in hands-on projects.

Time: 7-10 p.m. Cost: Free

Saturday, June 1 Walking Tour

Upper Newport Bay and Shellmaker Island Meet at Peter & Mary Muth Interpretive Center 2302 University Dr. Newport Beach (714)973-6826

This is a wonderful 2-hour walk which will allow you to discover local wildlife and plants.

Time: 9-11 a.m. Cost: Free

Saturday & Sunday June 1 & 2 Street Painting Festival

24932 Veterans Way At La Paz Road Mission Viejo

This fair features street painting with chalk, entertainment, music, food and a free children's art workshop.

Time: All Day Cost: Free

Thursday, June 6 Make It Simple

CYS-Project Together Mentor Workshop North Region Clinic 377 E. Chapman Rd., Suite 110

Placentia

(714)796-0100—Reservation

This workshop for mentors will explore simple and inexpensive activities that are fun, engaging and non-threatening for CYS-Project Together mentors and youth. Attendees may share games, crafts and outings that they have found to be successful. Snack provided

Time: 7-8:30 p.m. Cost: Free

Saturday, June 8 Ocean Discovery Day

Upper Newport Bay & Shellmaker Island 2301 University Dr. Newport Beach

(714)973-6826 Participants in

Participants in this event may take the Water Tour, enjoy the Touch Tank or the Shark and Ray Exhibit, and explore the Estuary Mud Discovery and Tide Pools. This should be a rare oceanographic adventure.

Time: 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Cost: Free

Saturday, June 8 Storytelling & International Migratory Bird Day

Santa Ana Zoo 1801 E. Chestnut Santa Ana (714)847-6575

The Southern California Story Tellers will be on hand with some great bird stories. The day will also feature information booths, bird watching tour of the zoo and make and take demonstrations.

Time: 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

Cost: Free with zoo admission

Adults \$4
Seniors \$2
Children 3-12 \$2
Disabled Free

Tuesday, June 11 Make It Simple

CYS-Project Together Mentor Workshop South Region/Laguna

21632 Wesley Dr. Laguna Beach

(714)796-0100—Reservation

This workshop for mentors will explore simple and inexpensive activities that are fun, engaging and non-threatening for CYS-Project Together mentors and youth. Attendees may share games,

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crafts and outings that they have found to be successful. Snack provided.

7-8:30 p.m. Time: Free Cost:

Thursday, June 13 **Make It Simple**

CYS-Project Together Mentor Workshop South Region/Costa Mesa Clinic

3115 Redhill Costa Mesa

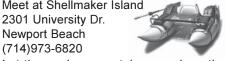
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Time: 7-8:30 p.m. Cost: Free

Thursday, June 13 **Solar Powered Boat Tour**

Meet at Shellmaker Island 2301 University Dr. **Newport Beach**



Let the sun's power take you along the bay as you join a naturalist on a guided tour aboard an electric pontoon boat. Bring a lunch or snack. Minimum age for participation is 7.

Time: Noon Cost: \$10

Saturday, June 15 **Juneteenth Celebration**

Lillie King Park 500 W. Alton Ave. Santa Ana (714)571-4227

This African-American freedom celebration will be a day for costumes, games, music, crafts and food.

Time: 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Cost: Free

Saturday, June 15-Saturday, Aug. 10 **Summer Reading** Club Kick-off

Orange Public Library 101 N. Center St. Orange (714)288-2420



Kick-off for this literacy-promoting program will be held 10:30-11:15 Saturday, June 15, and children 1-13 years of age may enroll anytime during the summer. Participants will receive prizes for every 2 hours they read with a grand prize for 20 hours of reading. Children are also invited to participate in the Reading Club programs held at 3:30 p.m. every Tuesday and Thursday, but it is not mandatory to join the club.

Time: Library hours are

10 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday

Cost:

Every Wednesday Evening June 19-September 4 **Concerts in the Park**

Hart Park 701 Glassell Orange (714)744-7294



Take a picnic, blanket and a good ear and enjoy a variety of live music by local musicians in the park.

Time: 7 p.m. Cost: Free

Wednesdays June 19 & 26 2002 Concerts in the Park

Peppertree Park At 1st and "C" Streets Tustin

(714)573-3326

Bring picnic and blanket for concerts held every Wednesday throughout the summer. June 19 offering is The Finians, an Irish band, and the June 26 event will feature the classic rock band, The Answer.

Time: 6-8 p.m. Free Cost:

Thursday, June 20 Make It Simple

CYS-Project Together Mentor Workshop East Region/Aspen Aspen Community Services 1633 E. 4th St., Suite 120

Santa Ana

(714)796-0100—Reservation

This workshop for mentors will explore simple and inexpensive activities that are fun, engaging and non-threatening for CYS-Project Together mentors and youth. Attendees may share games, crafts and outings that they have found to be successful. Snack provided.

Time: 7-8:30 p.m. Cost: Free

Thursday, June 20 **Blues Concert**

Irvine Regional Park 1 Irvine Park Rd. Orange

(714)633-8072

Bring a picnic and enjoy the blues.

Time: 6-7:30 p.m. Cost: \$2 per car

> Free for mentors with Harbors, Beaches & Parks Passes

Saturday, June 22 **Marine Life Inventory**

Upper Newport Bay 2301 University Dr. Newport Beach (714)973-6820

Junior high and high school students are invited to participate in a monthly marine life monitoring program in Newport Bay. Community Service credit will be given. Call the lab for reservations.

Time: **TBA** Cost: Free

Sunday, June 23 **Annual Butterfly Census**

Thomas F. Riley Wilderness Park 30952 Oso Pkwy. Coto de Caza (949)459-1687

Join specialists from the North American Butterfly Association on a hike and help count butterflies along the trails. This census is an important indicator of the state of our environment, because butterflies pollinate many of our California plants. Bring hat and water.

Time: 1-3 p.m.

Cost: \$3 for teenagers and adults Free for children under 12

\$2 parking

Mentors may use the Harbors Beaches & Parks passes for entry and parking at County of Orange facilities.

June 24-Sept. 10 **Recreational Swim**

Hart Park Pool 701 S. Glassell Orange & El Modena High School Pool 3920 Spring St. Orange (714)744-7264

These pools offer recreational swimming. a variety of swim lessons and other aquatic programs. Children and teenagers may participate in classes, swim team activities and water sports.

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Pool Times: Monday-Friday

1:30-4:15 p.m. Monday &

Wednesday evenings 7:15-8:30 p.m.

Saturday & Sunday 1-5:15 p.m.

Thursday, June 27 Make It Simple

CYS-Project Together Mentor Workshop West Region

14140 Beach Blvd., Suite 155

Westminster

(714)796-0100—Reservation

This workshop for mentors will explore simple and inexpensive activities that are fun, engaging and non-threatening for CYS-Project Together mentors and youth. Attendees may share games, crafts and outings that they have found to be successful. Snack provided.

Time: 7-8:30 p.m. Cost: Free

Sunday, Aug 18 Rancho Los Alamitos

6400 Bixby Hill Rd. Inside the gate at Palo Verde and Anaheim Road Long Beach (562)431-3541

The historical rancho features the original adobe house, which is one of the oldest buildings in California. The 7.5 -acre facility reflects 1,500 years of history and features beautiful California gardens and ranch animals.

Time: Wednesday-Sunday 1-5 p.m.

Cost: Free.

Donations are appreciated

Monday-Friday Drop-In Recreation Program

Summer Activities Tustin Family & Youth Center 14722 Newport Ave.

Tustin

(714)573-3370

Featured activities for the summer months for children 6-12 years old include a cooking class, swimming at Tustin High School, outdoor games, assistance with homework for those in year-round school, computer learning and "Rec" on Wheels that takes participating youth to different locations for special activities.

Time: 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Cost: Free

1st Sunday of Month Westminster Museum & Blakey Historical Park

8612 Westminster Blvd.

Westminster (714)891-2597

The park and museum features displays depicting everyday life of residents of Westminster during the late 19th and early 20th centuries. Operated by the Westminster Historical Society, guided tours are provided for groups, and students are welcome to do research at the museum.

Time: 1-4 p.m.

1st Sunday of the month

Cost: Free

Saturdays Story Time

Santa Ana Library 26 Civic Center Plaza Santa Ana

(714)647-5250

For youngsters 12 and under, this story hour features wonderful books from new releases to old favorites.

Time: 10 a.m. Cost: Free

3rd Weekend Free Train Rides

Fairview Regional Park 2525 Placentia

Costa Mesa (714)54T-RAIN

The Orange County Model Engineers Club set up a kiddie-sized train and nearly 2 miles of track for youth and children to enjoy.

Time: 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Cost: Free on 3rd Weekend

Tuesdays & Sundays Irvine Ranch Historical Museum

5 San Joaquin Irvine (949)786-4112

The museum is housed in Irvine's oldest remaining ranch structure. You may call to make sure a docent is available or to schedule a special tour.

Time: Tuesday & Sunday 1 - 5 p.m.

or by appointment

Cost: Free

Wed. Afternoons & Saturdays Youth Patch Program

Santa Ana Zoo 1801 E. Chestnut Santa Ana (714)836-4000

Cost:

This program is designed for youth and fosters learning experiences in particular categories. It combines a variety of nature topics with a zoo tour or scavenger hunt, animal presentation and examination of bio-facts.

Time: Weekday afternoons

Limited Saturday afternoons \$8 per child and includes zoo

admission, activities, patch

and notebook \$5 per adult

Saturdays Free "Make & Take" Workshops

Lakeshore Learning Center 18679 Brookhurst St. (S. of 405) Fountain Valley (714)963-8255

Children 3 and older are welcome to attend the free "Make & Take" workshops where children create their own art and toys while learning new skills.

Time: 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

Cost: Free

Saturdays Family Story Time

Newport Beach Public Library 1000 Avocado Ave. Newport Beach (949)717-3800

Children 3 to 7 may join each other for dramatic storytelling and crafts.

Times: 10:30 a.m. Cost: Free

Mondays Pajama Story Time

Newport Beach Public Library 1000 Avocado Ave. Newport Beach (949)717-3800

Children 3 to 7 may bring their stuffed animals and enjoy a bedtime story.

Time: 7 p.m. Cost: Free

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included donations of helmets, safety booklets and bike locks.

The part-time volunteer project, which allowed him to "tinker" while helping someone else, turned into an avocation. As people went by his open garage door at his Balboa Island home, they would see him in his workshop on his knees, spinning the wheels, installing chains and straightening handlebars. Bill inspired neighborhood participation by his example. People came by with old bicycles they purchased at garage sales or would tell him of an abandoned bike on the roadside. They donated parts, tools and even a bicycle repair rack for Bill, who often would become stiff from doing the repairs on the cold concrete garage floor.

Bill retired from five different careers. After he was orphaned at the age of 6 and went to live with his aunt and uncle in Glendale, he opened his own shoeshine business and sold the Saturday Evening Post to help earn his way. He joined the Air Force in 1943 and went to India, where he said he learned a lot about the world. When he retired from the service, Bill and his buddies formed their own aircraft insulation company, Hitco, which supplied all of the insulation for U-2 planes. Since that endeavor, he was involved in sales, and ultimately built a gold-plating company into a \$45 million business.

He reminisced from time to time about being raised by relatives, being known as a child as the neighborhood's "Peck's Bad Boy", about his adventures in India and settling down to retire for good on Balboa Island with his wife, Elsa. He donated a great deal to charity over the years, particularly those that help children, but seemed to "settle in" with CYS-Project Together.

"A lot of people helped me along the way. I just thought I would do what I could," he once said about his work with the program.

At the recent CYS-Project Together Volunteer Recognition dinner, Bill was honored with a Distinguished Service Award for his many years of service to the Health Care Agency's Children and Youth Services.

Carole Neustadt, the Health Care Agency Public Information Officer and former CYS-Project Together Supervisor who recruited "Bicycle Bill" for his volunteer position, noted "Bill brought a very special spirit to Project Together and to the lives of many children and their families."

Even though not all CYS staff had the privilege of knowing Bill personally, they knew of the bike program and each month anxiously waited for a new shipment of bikes.

"Bill Sauter made a tremendous impact on CYS and our clients and he will be sorely missed," according to Alan Albright, CYS Division Manager.

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Mondays-Fridays Kidscene After School Program

Vincent Jorgensen Community Center Adjacent to Mariners Branch Library 2005 Dover Dr. Newport Beach (949)717-3800

First through sixth graders may study and play at this enhanced drop-in program that also provides a staffed Homework Center. Registration required.

Time: 2-5 p.m. Cost: Free

Saturdays Children's Workshops

Lakeshore Learning Center 18679 Brookhurst Fountain Valley (714)963-8255

Children 3 years and older may attend these workshops which provide arts and crafts experiences. No reservation is necessary.

Time: 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

Cost: Free

For Your Information...

The Orange County Mental Health Board, in observance of May as Mental Health Month, held a public hearing Wednesday, May 29, regarding the stigma of mental health in Orange County. Orange County Mental Health clients, family members, mental health professionals and interested members of the public shared their ideas with the board about how to better deal with issues of reluctance to seek treatment due to stigma and attitudes toward those who have received treatment....

There are summer book-learning volunteer opportunities available for teenagers at the Westminster Branch of the Orange County Public Library, 8180 13th St., Westminster. According to Carlie Kraft, Teen Librarian, teenagers, 6th grade or over, may attend a volunteer orientation at 4 p.m. on the second or fourth Thursday of the month. Teens are asked to volunteer for eight hours per week. They will meet other teens as well as learn some outstanding skills as a result of donating their time to their community. For further information, please call Carlie at (714)893-5057...

Speaking of books and teenagers, only 10 to 15 percent of the libraries in the country have Teen Librarians. The County of Orange has a total of three with two other branches besides Westminster providing reading programs and activities specifically designed for teens. They are the Laguna Niguel Branch, 30341 Crown Valley Parkway, Laguna Niguel, at (949)249-5252; and the San Clemente Branch, 242 Avenida Del Mar, San Clemente, at (949)492-3493. Throughout the summer, the Westminster Branch is offering teen programs at 3 p.m. Thursdays, which will feature a sound and percussion program, learning elementary juggling, story tellers, African folk instrument session, movie night and a Generations Book Club to which teenagers may invite an adult. With the exception of the book club, adults may attend programs with teenagers, but must sit in the back, says Carlie.

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Hands, Sands & Wood

Stanley Hall, woodworker, demonstrates how he fashions his projects in wood while his wife, Dorothy, spearheads the artwork component of production. Both will share their expertise with Children & Youth Services clients and their mentors who will be participating in the upcoming CYS-Project Together outing, Hands, Sands and Wood, slated for 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday, June 8, at Mile Square Park, Site #1, 16801 Euclid (at Edinger), Fountain Valley. Watch for your flyer in the mail. For reservations and further details, please call Curtis Livingston at Central Office, (714)796-0100.

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The Health Care Agency/Behavioral Health Services/Children and Youth Services provides mental health treatment for emotionally and behaviorally disturbed youth and their families throughout Orange County. CYS-Project Together is a volunteer mentor program for CYS children and teens. The program also offers supportive resources to clients and families to assist them in achieving treatment goals.



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